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SUBJECT: NEW ATTACKS FROM LA REPUBBLICA

1. RESURRECTING OLD CHESTNUT, SOCIALIST-ORIENTED LA REPUBBLICA HAS PUBLISHED SIGNED STORIES TWO DAYS RUNNING LINKING USG, CIA AND FORMER EMBASSY OFFICERS TO GENERAL MICELI AND ALLEGED MANEUVERING TO BLOCK ANDREOTTI'S ELECTION AS PRIME MINISTER IN 1970. THURSDAY EDITIONS OF DAILY POINTED FINGER AT JAMES CLAVIO, THEN AN ASSISTANT DEFENSE ATTACHE HERE AS KEY FIGURE IN CIA-EMBASSY-MICELI MANEUVERING. CLAVIO ALSO FINGERED AS KEY FIGURE IN STORIES PUBLISHED NOV 1974 IN LEFTIST ITALIAN MEDIA.

2. FRIDAY EDITIONS LA REPUBBLICA SAID FORMER PRES. NIXON SENT TWO AGENTS HERE TO CHECK ITALIAN POLITICAL SCENE AT BEGINNING OF 1970, NAMING PETER FLANAGAN AND ROBERT MURPHY. STORY SAYS NIXON VETOED ANDREOTTI ON BASIS FLANAGAN, MURPHY ADVICE. SEYMOUR RUSSELL NAMED AS CIA STATION CHIEF AT TIME.

3. GUZZANTI CLOSELY TIED TO SOCIALIST DEPUTY GIACOMO MANCINI WHO BEHIND PRESENT MOVE TO INVESTIGATE MSI DEPUTY MICELI'S ACTIONS WHILE HEAD OF ITALIAN SECURITY SERVICES AND IN REVELATIONS IS TRYING TO CONVEY IMPRESSION THAT HE HAS INSIDE DOPE ON US EMBASSY AND ITALIAN POLITICAL FIGURES.

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4. TRANSLATIONS OF TWO PIECES WILL BE FORWARDED. BEAUDRY

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